BANGALORE DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

Proceedings of the Local Fund Board convened at the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Bangalore District, at 3 P. M., on Saturday the 12th December 1891.

Present.

V. P. Madhava Rao, Esq., (Deputy Commissioner)	President.
R. T. Scaldwell, Esq., Executive Engineer	Ex-Officio Member.
G. Raghunatha Rao, Esq., (Closepet Sub-Division Officer) ..	Do
C. Raghavacharlu, Esq., (Senior Assistant Commissioner) ..	Do
Mr. B. Kuppusami Naidu, (Amildar, Bangalore Taluk) ..	Do
„ D. Venkataramanaiya, (Amildar, Hoskote do).. ..	Do
„ H. V. Honnappa Naidu, (Amildar, Anekal do).. ..	Do
„ Mir Nizamuddin Ali Khan, (Amildar, Closepet Taluk) ..	Do
„ S. Krishna Rao, (Amildur, Kankanhalli Taluk) ..	Do
„ N. Gopalaiengar, (Amildar, Magadi Taluk) ..	Do
„ T. Bava Rao, (Amildar, Devanhalli Taluk) ..	Do
„ B. Krishna Rao, (Amildar, Dodballapur Taluk) .	Do
A. R. Sabhapati Mudaliar, Esq., B. B.	Member.
Mr. Subramanaiya, ...	Do
„ Haji Mitta Kasim Sait, ...	Do
„ Mastan Saib, (Closepet Taluk)	Do
Gurukar Timmappa, (Kankanhalli Taluk)	Do
Nandagudi Ramanna, (Hoskote Taluk)	Do

Absent.

The Senior Surgeon.

The Amildar of Nelamangala.

2. The estimates of receipts and expenditure prepared in the District Office were read as below.

Receipts for 1891-92.

Balance on 31st March 1891, as per Comptroller's No. 3753, dated 7th November 1891.	Rs. 37,930
Receipts as per Proceedings of Government dated 13th May 1891	„ 60,137
Total Rs....	98,067

Expenditure during the year.

Public Works	Rs. 52,209—0—0
Civil Charges	„ 4,859—0—0
Moiety of charges for Dodballapur midwife	„ 130—0—0
Total....	57,198—0—0
Probable balance on 1st April 1892	Rs. 40,869—0—0
Estimated receipts as per abstract statement accompanying for 1892-93	„ 63,794—0—0
Total assets for the new year 1892-93	„ 1,04,663—0—0

3. The Board note that the estimates are based on past year's collections ; but are of opinion that owing to the impending famine, the income estimated may not be realized, and that it would be safe to limit the expenditure to the amount of the probable revenue, leaving the balance untouched, to meet any deficit in the collections.

4. The Board accordingly proceed to consider the estimates of expenditure submitted by the Executive Engineer and the Amildars of Taluks for the coming year.

5. The Executive Engineer's statement (copy attached) showing the annual maintenance allowance for the District Fund roads (measuring in all 410 miles) at Rs. 25,145, is sanctioned, with an increase of Rs. 10 extra, per mile, or Rs. 200 for the whole line for the Closepet-Magadi road as the traffic on it has increased.

6. The reserve grant of Rs. 10,855 against Rs. 12,055 for 1891-92, is also sanctioned.

7. The President remarked that the costly stone parapet now being put up to the Bidarkuppe Tank bund was a waste of money. A few crossings as proposed for Arlamallige and Madhure Tanks in Dodballapur would have amply sufficed to ensure the safety of carts passing on the bund.

8. *Original Works.*—A provision of Rs. 3,000 to be made for opening the Kodihalli-Satnur road, the estimate for which was sanctioned in November 1891 and on which an outlay of about Rs. 2,000 has already been incurred. Similarly a provision of Rs. 2,000 to be made for opening out the Devangondi Railway feeder and for connecting it with the Hoskote-Malur road, the northern portion to be first put in hand and then the southern section to be taken up.

9. The Board consider that the present Hoskote-Jangamkote road passes through comparatively unfrequented tract and may be treated as a cart-track for the future, the allotment for its maintenance being reduced.

10. The Hoskote-Sulebele road is more popular, as it passes through populated villages and traffic, even now, with all the breaks and interruptions on the road, prefers this to the Jangamkote road. The Sulebele road also passes along the bunds of valuable tanks and these will be incidentally strengthened by a good road being taken on them.

11. The Sulebele road may be extended and joined on to Jargamkote road. The country is easy for road making, and the work will improve this part of the Taluk in every way. The Board therefore resolve that a provision of Rs. 2,000 be made for this extension.

12. The usual provision of the Public Works Department establishmental cost of Rs. 10,000 per year, and of about Rs. 5,000 for civil charges are passed.

13. The total grants will be as follows :—

	Rs.
Under "Repairs, Communications"	37,200
Original works	12,000
Public Works Department establishment charges ..	10,000
Civil charges	4,989
Total Rs..	64,189
Estimated income for 1892-93 Rs..	63,794
Deficit Rs....	395

14. It will be seen that the fixed annual charges and the cost of the three small original works to be carried out by Public Works Department have wholly swallowed up the estimated income and there is a deficit of Rs. 395 to be made good from some other source.

15. There is no money for carrying out some of the very useful projects brought forward by the Amildars. The Board are unanimously of opinion that a strong appeal should be made to Government for an allotment of at least Rs. 20,000 from the Local Funds General for taking up some of the valuable works brought forward by the Amildars. The total cost of these is Rs. 46,997.

16. There is also no money available for starting the various petty improvements necessary for improving the health of villages on which Government, in para 3 of its Proceedings No. 7259-66—L. 576, dated 25th September 1891, lays so much stress.

17. In anticipation of such a grant from Government, the Board resolve to allot the following sums to each Taluk for effecting sanitary improvements in villages where they may most urgently be wanted and for carrying out such other works, out of those suggested by the Amildars, as may be considered to be urgent by the President :—

	Rs.	
Bangalore Taluk	3,500	
Closepet	2,500	(500 for Channapatna Sub-Taluk.)
Hoskote	1,500	
Anekal	2,500	(500 for sanitary improvements of Bannerghatta.)
Kankanhalli	1,500	
Magadi	2,000	
Nelamangala	1,500	
Dodballapur	2,500	
Devanhalli	2,500	
Total Rs...	20,000	

PROPOSITION I.

18. The Board proceed to consider, the first Proposition, *i. e.*, filling up the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Doddi Venkataramana Chetti. Names of 5 gentlemen noted below were proposed. At the suggestion of the President, the votes of the members present were taken and the following is the result :—

Mr. A. Narainsami Mudaliar, B. B., secured 7 votes.

„ B. Ramaswamaiengar, do 5

„ Gangadhara Chetti, do 4

„ Vairagi Chetti Nanjundappa, do 1 vote.

None voted for Mr. Vélu Mudaliar.

19. The Board accordingly resolve to submit the name of Mr. A. Narainsami Mudaliar, B. B., to Government for nomination as a member of the Board.

PROPOSITION II.

20. The Executive Engineer's recommendation to appoint 4 watchmen for the 4 Inspection Lodges noted in the margin, at Rs. 5 each, is sanctioned. It would appear that hitherto the item was being met from the maintenance allowance of the District Fund Roads.

Tavarekere,	Magadi	Taluk.
Kaglihalli,	Kankanhalli	do
Vadavatta,	Closepet	do
Hindigal,	Hoskote	do

PROPOSITION III.

21. Resolved that Rs. 400 recommended by the Senior Surgeon, for supply of furniture for Local Fund Dispensaries, be allowed.

PROPOSITION IV.

22. Regarding sanitation, one or two villages should be taken up at a time in each hobli and their sanitation placed on a satisfactory footing with the help of the villagers and village servants. Any expenditure necessary may be met from the funds set apart for each Taluk in para 17 of these Proceedings.

23. The first thing to do is to remove the manure pits from the heart or close neighbourhood of villages. Government waste should be selected at some distance from the villages and the manure heaped, so that it may not be in the direction of the prevailing winds. It should be deposited to the north-west or south-east of a village.

24. When no waste is available within a reasonable distance, the raiyats may be induced to deposit their manure in a portion of their own fields. When this cannot be managed, a field may be purchased by Government on payment of a reasonable compensation and the raiyats made to store the manure in portions to be allotted to them. A sum of Rs. 200 may be appropriated in each Taluk for this purpose.

25. Another source of danger to health is the practice of burying and burning corpses in tank bed and near sources of water supply. For abating this nuisance and allotting lands for these purposes in distant unobjectionable places for each village, a sum of Rs. 100 will be set apart.

26. Next attention should be given to levelling and draining streets in the larger villages. A sum of Rs. 100 is assigned for this purpose.

27. For planting of topes and removing prickly pear, &c., from the vicinity of villages, another sum of Rs. 50 is allotted per Taluk. Thus, there is a total amount of Rs. 450 for each Taluk, allotted for sanitary purposes. Sanitary works should receive prior consideration in expending the sums allotted to each Taluk in para 17.

28. The improvements made by the Amildars under sanitation, should be specially brought to the notice of jamabandi officers who will inspect, as many of them as possible, and embody the result of their inspection in their annual jamabandi reports.

29. With regard to the question of providing good drinking water to villagers, and of preserving existing wells from pollution, separate orders have been passed.

PROPOSITION V.

30. Government Proceedings No. 6591-600—L. 451 of 10th September 1891, sanctioning Budget Estimates of the Local Funds of the District for current year, are read and recorded.

PROPOSITION VI.

31. Also Government Proceedings No. 7259-66—L. 576 of 25th September 1891, prescribing revised forms of accounts are read and recorded for guidance.

PROPOSITION VII.

32. Read City Vice-President's letter No. 766 E. 4, dated 13th October 1891 about the necessity for a road from Gavipuram to Rudrasami's Temple, and promising to contribute ¼th cost from the City Municipal Funds.

33. The proposal of the City Municipal Board is accepted. A sum of Rs. 532 is sanctioned for the purpose. The work to be carried out by the City Municipal agency.

PROPOSITION VIII.

34. Yele Puttasami Chetti's petition, dated 15th September 1891, about opening a road to Kadamalleswara Temple, was read.

35. Resolved that, as the want of the road is greatly felt, provision be made for it. It is estimated by the Amildar to cost about Rs. 2,000.

PROPOSITION IX.

36. Read petition of Kodihalli villagers received with Chief Secretary's Official Memo No. 52, dated 30th June 1891. The petitioners are stated by the Amildar of Kankanhalli to have no cause for complaint, as some good wells are stated to be in existence in the village.

PROPOSITION X.

37. It was brought to the notice of the Board that there is no Accountant or Clerk allowed for checking and compiling the Local Funds accounts and for carrying on the correspondence in the Local Fund Department. The Statistical Clerk maintained from the Local Funds has more than enough of his own special work to do. The Proceedings of the Government No. 8196-206—L. 650, dated 29th October 1891, are read, and a provision of Rs. 30 per month is made for employing a Clerk for doing Local Fund work in the District Office.

PROPOSITION XI.

38. Read Government Proceedings No. 6999-7008—Cir. 123 about supply of Amrut Mahal bulls for breeding purposes. Resolved that as the present season is unfavorable, the question of purchasing bulls be allowed to stand over for the present.

PROPOSITION XII.

39. Read Government Proceedings No. 8170-8—L. 646, dated 28th October 1891, about the appointment of a Special Engineer for Local Fund works with suitable establishment.

Resolved that a separate report be submitted on the subject.

40. The Board in conclusion desire to remark that owing to paucity of funds, many very desirable works have had to be left out and that the cost of the annual maintenance of roads is very heavy in this District.

41. The Board would therefore request that Government may be pleased to transfer the Bangalore-Mysore road *viâ* Kankanhalli, to the Provincial Budget and thus relieve the District Funds to the extent of nearly Rs. 4,000 per annum. In anticipation of this concession, the Board have made provision for the grants made under Propositions 2, 3, 7, 8 and 10 amounting in all to Rs. 3,532 which otherwise will have to be met from any available balance which may be left at the credit of the District Funds in the year 1892-93.

Cess charged on District Fund.

Taluk.	Land Revenue.	Inam lands.	Amarayi.	Kuranga stones.	Chunam kilns.	Hulgaval.	Other items.	Total.
1. Bangalore	8,877 11 7	2,551 11 0	49 3 6	... ...	8 10 0	54 3 11	27 7 2	11,568 15 2
2. Hoskote	6,471 5 7	3,759 2 9	164 11 10	... ...	4 12 0	170 9 4	245 8 4	10,816 1 10
3. Dodballapur	7,406 13 11	1,994 11 2	63 0 7	6 9 0	2 2 0	120 13 9	106 7 8	9,700 10 1
4. Nelamangala	6,753 3 11	2,299 8 11	41 12 3	... ...	2 5 0	186 10 9	116 3 11	9,379 12 9
5. Kankanhalli	4,073 11 4	418 3 1	305 11 10	... ...	3 8 0	182 3 7	9 3 9	4,992 9 7
6. Magadi	6,357 0 3	1,778 12 7	77 14 0	... ...	1 6 0	168 9 3	102 14 9	8,486 8 10
7. Closepet	6,670 2 8	1,398 10 2	112 9 2	... ...	2 15 0	... ...	102 8 7	8,286 13 7
8. Anekal	5,142 6 5	1,161 15 6	85 13 5	... ...	4 7 0	114 3 4	2 13 3	6,511 10 11
9. Devanhalli	5,249 9 3	3,320 4 0	82 14 9	... ...	5 6 0	64 6 5	66 11 1	8,789 3 6
Total.....	56,982 0 11	18,682 15 2	983 11 4	6 9 0	35 7 0	1,061 12 4	779 14 6	78,532 6 3

Taluk.	76 per cent creditable to District Funds.	Sale of stray cattle.	Fines for cattle trespass.	Ferry collections.	Tolls.	Fees from Travellers' Bangalow.	Miscellaneous manure.	Probable arrears that may remain uncollected.	Total creditable to District Funds.	Remarks.
1. Bangalore	8,792 0 0	110 0 0	150 0 0	... ...	... ...	... .	10 0 0	... ...	9,062 0 0	Balance on 1st April 1891, as
2. Hoskote	8,220 0 0	40 0 0	250 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	20 0 0	... ...	8,530 0 0	per Comptroller's accounts
3. Dodballapur	7,373 0 0	130 0 0	650 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	10 0 0	... .	8,163 0 0	is Rs. ... 37,930
4. Nelamangala	7,129 0 0	25 0 0	210 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	10 0 0	... .	7,374 0 0	Add probable esti-
5. Kankanhalli	3,795 0 0	75 0 0	310 0 0	5 0 0	... ...	... ...	10 0 0	... .	4,195 0 0	mated receipts
6. Magadi	6,449 0 0	50 0 0	200 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	10 0 0	... ...	6,709 0 0	for 1891-92 ... 60,137
7. Closepet	6,298 0 0	80 0 0	250 0 0	5 0 0	... ...	... ...	20 0 0	... ...	6,653 0 0	
8. Anekal	4,948 0 0	80 0 0	190 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	20 0 0	... ...	5,238 0 0	98,067
9. Devanhalli	6,680 0 0	50 0 0	130 0 0	... ...	... ...	... ...	10 0 0	... ...	6,870 0 0	Deduct probable
Total.....	59,684 0 0	640 0 0	2,340 0 0	10 0 0	... .	... ...	120 0 0	1,000 0 0	63,794 0 0	expenditure for 1891-92 ... 57,198
					Add probable balance on 31st March 1892 ...				40,869 0 0	Probable estimated balance on 31st
								Grand Total.....	104663 0 0	March 1892 is Rs. 40,869

Detail of Original Works proposed to be executed out of District Funds of the Bangalore District.

No.	Name of Work.	Actual or probable amount of estimate.	Outlay.		Estimate for 1892-93.	Decision of the Local Fund Board as regards agency by which work should be executed.		Remarks.
			Actual to end of 1890-91.	Probable till end of 1891-92.		Whether by Department Public Works.	Whether by the Deputy Commissioner.	
	COMMUNICATIONS.							
1	Opening out Kodihalli-Satnur road, Kankanhalli ...	6,546	500	1,500	3,000	Department Public Works.		Estimate sanctioned in November 1891. Work being started.
2	Opening out Devangundi Railway feeder road, Hoskote	3,000	...	...	2,000		...	Estimate under preparation.
3	Connecting Sulibele to Jangamkote	...	...	...	2,000			
	Reserve for Minor Works ...	..	...	...	3,000	...	Deputy Commissioner.	
	Total Communications.....	...	...	...	10,000			
	Miscellaneous Public Improvements ...	..	...	...	2,000	...	Do	For wells and other improvements.
	Total Original Works.....	...	...	...	12,000			

Detail of Allotment of Expenditure on Repairs of District Funds Roads, &c., in the Bangalore District for 1892-93.

No.	Details of—	1891-92.			1892-93.			Remarks.	Agency by which work is to be executed.	
		Length of road in miles.	Rate per mile.	Cost.	Length of road in miles.	Rate per mile.	Cost.		Public Works Department.	Deputy Commissioner.
	Annual Repairs of—									
1	Bangalore-Mysore road *viâ* Kankanhalli	44	90	3,960	44	90	3,960		Public Works Department.	
2	Kankanhalli-Kodihalli road ...	9	40	360	9	40	360			
3	Closepet-Magadi road... ...	20	50	1,000	20	60	1,200			
4	Closepet-Kankanhalli road ..	16	50	800	16	50	800			
5	Channapatna-Satnur road ...	20	50	1,000	20	50	1,000			
6	Hosahalli, Kadgodi-Anekal Railway feeder	30	50	1,500	30	50	1,500			
7	Channapatna Halagur road ...	8	40	320	8	40	320			
8	Attibele-Mattikere road ...	3	50	150	3	50	150			
9	Hoskote-Sulibele road ...	6	25	150	6	25	150			
10	Hoskote-Malur Railway feeder ...	7	50	350	7	50	350			
11	Kolar, Sompur (Dobbspet) road *viâ* Nundy	39	50	1,950	39	50	1,950			
12	Hoskote-Sidlaghatta road ...	12	50	600	12	50	600			
13	Bangalore-Vartur road ...	8	50	400	8	50	400			
14	Bangalore-Anekal road *viâ* Bannerghatta	27	75	2,025	27	75	2,025			
15	Bangalore-Dommasandra road ...	10	60	600	10	60	600			
16	Iglur, Anekal-Gumlapur road ...	11	50	550	11	50	550			

No.	Details of—	1891-92. Length of road in miles.	1891-92. Rate per mile.	1891-92. Cost.	1892-93. Length of road in miles.	1892-93. Rate per mile.	1892-93. Cost.	Remarks.	Agency by which work is to be executed. Public Works Department.	Agency by which work is to be executed. Deputy Commissioner.
17	Bangalore, Magadi-Huliyurdurga road	38	100	3,800	38	100	3,800			
18	Nelamangala, Gollahalli-Dodballapur Railway feeder	21	60	1,260	21	60	1,260			
19	Begur, Tyamagondlu and Manne road	10	50	500	10	50	500			
20	Dobbspet-Sivaganga road ...	4	50	200	4	50	200			
21	Do Koratagere road ...	6	60	360	6	60	360			
22	Devanhalli-Dodballapur road ...	12	50	600	12	50	600			
23	Devanhalli-Vadigenhalli road ...	6	50	300	6	50	300			
24	Venkatapur-Devanhalli road ...	3	30	90	3	30	90			
25	Bangalore-Nundydroog road ...	6	50	300	6	50	300			
26	Cross roads at Dodballapur ...	6	50	300	6	50	300			
27	Gudemarnahalli-Magadi road ...	10	60	600	10	60	600			
28	Magadi-Kunigal road... ...	10	60	600	10	60	600			
29	Bangalore-Subarban road ..	7	60	420	7	60	420			
30	Cross road at Bannerghatta ..	1	100	100	1	100	100			
	Total.....	410	...	25,145	410	...	25,345		Public Works Department.	
	Reserve grant	...	...	12,055	...	...	10,855			
	Total repairs, Communications ...	...	...	37,200	...	...	36,200			
	Miscellaneous Public Improvements .	...	...	...	. .	...	200			
	Reserve grant	...	...	...	...	...	1,000			
	Total repairs.....	...	...	37,200	...	...	37,200			

V. P. MADHAVA RAO,
President and Dy. Commissioner.

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

The 28th December 1891.

In pursuance of the orders of Government conveyed in Proceedings No. 9365-6—L. 823, dated 1st December 1891, para 2, the undersigned hereby notifies the following Divisions for which 2 Members are to be elected as Municipal Commissioners by the Rate Payers :—

No. III Balepete Division. | No. IV. Manavartepete Division | No. V. Alsurpete Division.

The 29th December 1891.

Under the terms of Government Order No. 9365-6—L 823, dated 1st December 1891, the following roads forming part of No. II High Ground Division have been transferred to No. I Palace Division.

No. 1. Bellary Road.
No. 2. Cathcart Road.
No. 3. Miller's Road.
No. 4. Cunningham Road.
No. 5. Ali Askar Road.

2. The following roads forming part of No. II High Ground Division have been transferred to No. VII Lal-Bagh Division :—

No. 1 Mission Road | No. 2 Lal-Bagh Road.

M. ANNAJI RAO,
for *President.*